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HOPE GETS COTTON OFFICE

Lockesburg Bank Robbed of $6480 By Youthful Bandits

Posse of Officers and Citizens Begin Search for Pair Along Highway

CAR NUMBER KNOWN

Three Employees of Bank Compelled to Lie on the Floor During Holdup

LOCKESBURG, Ark.—Roads to Oklahoma were watched Thursday night for two men who stole $6480 in cash from the Bank of Lockesburg.

Several automobiles carrying officers were trailing the green sedan in which they escaped up a country road paralleling the Cossatot river. The road interests with a highway above Gillham which leads into Oklahoma.

The men forced three bank officials to lie on the floor, and made Cashier R. S. Hunsacker unlock a safe in the vault.

Car Number Obtained

C. W. Burkhead, whose residence is diagonally across the street from the bank, obtained the number of thier car. It bore an Arkansas license, and is believed to have been stolen Sunday from a DeQueen man named Scott.

Burkhead and his 15-year-old son were sitting on the porch when the car drove up in front of the bank. They say one of them get out, then re-enter the car. Then both emerged and went to the side door of the bank, One stayed there while the other went to the front.

Suspecting the robbery, Burkhead and his son strolled down the street opposite the bank until they could see what was going on. They then beat a hasty retreat for the safety of their house.

Inside, the two went quickly into action.

"Well, boys, we've come to get it," one of them declared. "Get down on the floor, shut your eyes, lie on your face and don't make a sound or move until we get through."

Hunsacker, together with President M. L. Norwood and Assistant Cashier R C. Norwood, were the only occupants of the bank. They complied with the orders.

Descriptions of the pair varied. One account said both were young, unmasked, and cooly deliberate. Another said one was young and tall, the other middle aged and heavy set.

They were trailed about five miles out of town on Highway No. 7, to a point between DeQueen and Dierks where No. 70 intersects. They followed No. 70 about three miles, then left the highway for the river road, which leads through the Steel farm.

Robbery of the bank was the third within a radius of 20 miles within recent months. The Bank of DeQueen, 12 miles away, was robbed of $15,000, and the Bank of Horatio, 16 miles east of here, lost $12,000.

Toland Optimistic Over Cotton Meet

Arkansas Representative May Get Farm Board Position

TEXARKANA—W. H. Toland, of Nashville, Ark., who attended Governor Moss Sterling's cotton conference at Austin as a representative of Arkansas, was optimistic Thursday over the prospects of considerable good resulting from the Texas meeting. Toland remained over in Texarkana for the day en route home from Austin.

Acreage control, to make supply conform to demand, is the goal being sought. The present program includes a plan to have the governors of 15 cotton producing states appoint committees to work out details.

Toland is a prospective member of the federal farm board, having strong backing for appointment to one of the two vacancies that are to be filled soon. Two members of the board have resigned, their resignations to become effective upon selection of their successors. One of the retiring members is from the northwest and the aother from the Far West.

Striking Miners Back at Work in Arkansas

DENNING, Ark.—(AP)—Their fears of a wage cut dispelled by mine officials, 100 miners returned to work Thursday at the Pierce Coal Company No. 2 mine here after a walkout Tuesday.

The miners and compan yofficials got together at a mas meeting Wednesday and ironed out their difficulties, which were said to have their origin in reports that the company planned changes in wage scales.

A. G. Milligan, superintendent, said Thursday no further trouble was expected.

Chicken Thief Gets Invitation to Play Return Engagement

Will the negro who started across the back yard of R. N. Berry's home with a bagful of Rhode Island hens at 3:05 a. m. last Wednesday kindly come back?

Street Commissioner Berry wants to run the footrace over again.

Also, Charles Gilkey, Mr. Berry's negro driver on the city trash wagon, wants him to come back. Gilkey took a pot shot at the intruder—and missed. Gilkey feels that the stage play ought to be rehearsed all over again, as he did his part poorly.

The chicken business came to light in the small hours of Wednesday morning. Mr. Berry and Gilkey, who lives at the rear of the premises, heard squawks from the hen roost and both made for it promptly. Gilkey, being nearest, got there first with a shotgun. He saw a retreating figure in the gloom, fired once, saw the bag drop, and the figure vanish.

They waited until daylight, found the bag, and three heavy Rhode Island hens ran out.

Boy Wounded By Accidental Shot

Walter Tubbs, 17, Magnolia, Brought Here in Critical Condition

Walter Tubbs, 17-year-old Magnolia boy, was brought to Julia Chester hospital Friday noon in a critical condition as the result of accidentally discharging a shotgun while fishing on Clear Lake, below Lewisville.

Tubbs, the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tubbs, lives in Magnolia, but had gone over to LaFayette county on a fishing trip. According to information from friends who brought him to the hospital, Tubbs had the shotgun in his own hands when it exploded.

Shot entered his shoulder and left arm, critically wounding him. The accident occurred about 8 o'clock Friday morning.

Diamond Linked With Liquor Sale

Bartender Tells of Payment for Rye Whisky to Gangster

NEW YORK—A florid bartender from Coxsackie, N. Y., testified Thursday that he paid Jack ("Legs") Diamond personally $57.50 for a case of rye whiskey.

The bartender, William F. Shields, was government witness at the trial before Federal Judge Richard J. Hopkins of the gangster and his chief lieutenant, Paul Quattrocchi, for violating the prohibition law.

Shields was employed as a bartender by a man named Tommy de Santis. On one occasion Diamond came into the barroom, Shields said, and he told the gangster that he owed somebody $57.50 for a case of whiskey.

"'Will you take it?' I asked Diamond. 'Of course,' he said. I then gave him the money. He took it and then went away."

Shields' testimony was the first to be offered during the trial to connect Diamond personally with a liquor transaction.

Other witnesses have told of meeting Diamond and of his speaking to them about buying beer from him. Still others have told of their dealings with Quattrocchi.

The men who for the last four or five years has been a repository of bullets appeared rested and at ease in court Thursday. The bulk of the testimony pressed against him more strongly than Wednesday even.

Compress Company Make Price Change

Voluntary Cut in Prices Is Announced by Local Firm Friday

The Union Compress and Warehouse company announce a voluntary reduction in their price schedule for the 1931-32 season which began August 1st.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the rates which will prevail throughout the year.

Terrell Cornelius in Auto Crash on No. 67

Terrell Cornelius escaped injury in an automobile accident while returning from Little Rock Friday morning. Mr. Cornelius driving a light car of the Hope Furniture company, smashed up on highway No. 67 near Donaldson but details were lacking, except that he was uninjured.

Special Session of State Legislature For Schools Urged

Only Relief of Financial Problem Commissioner Hirst Proclaims

MEETING IN CONWAY

Eighty Per Cent of Schools Unable to Maintain Full Terms

CONWAY.—(AP)—The only possible relief for the financial situation confronting the common school system of Arkansas lies in an extraordinary session of the state legislature to produce additional revenue, Claud M. Hirst, State Comisisoner of Education, old a conference of county and city superintendents here Friday.

He suggested no specific source of revenue but asserted that Arkansas is "able to educate its own children."

Except for relief from the legislature, Hirst said the schools will be forced to shorten their terms, charge tiution or solicit individual gifts from citizens.

Eighty per cent of the schools, he added will be unable to maintain full time schedules on their present revenues.

The principal duty of a special session would be to provide revenue to remove the current operating deficit of the schools, which is estimated at between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000.

He said he present indebtedness of the schools of the state aggregated $26,000,000 of which $1,000,000 is chargable to loss of funds in closed banks of the state.

American Flier Lands In Iceland

Is Mapping Route For the Proposed Trans-Atlantic Mail Line

REYKJAVIK, Iceland.—(AP)—Parker Cramer, American flier landed here early Friday morning from Angnagsalik, Greenland on his way to Copenhagen to map out a trans-Atlantic air mail route from the United States.

Cramer refueld and awaited the weather reports from the Faroe Islands, four hundred and fifty miles away, planning to continue his journey later in the day.

The weather here was excellent.

Peach Shipment Reaches 2231 Cars

Practically All the Crop Is Harvested From Highland District

Up to Thursday morning there had been 2231 car loads of peaches shipped from the Highland District this season, exclusively of the movement by truck mail and express, according to the Nashville News. An estimate a few days ago of the truck movement was from 500 to 600 car loads by truck, but a closer check-up reveals the fact that this figure is probably only about half the actual truck movement, it being considered that 1000 car loads in this manner is a conservative estimate. There are few orchards which did not sell a large quantity to trucks, and many of the orchards moved more by truck than by rail.

Practically every orchard is entirely through with the harvest now, and the district is again taking on a quiet after the nervous excitement of the past three weeks. Hundreds of people who were camped in the orchard area have moved back to their homes or gone on to other places hunting work. Many of the transients received some work during the harvest, but there were also many who were sent away without having worked, local labor being given the preference in all of the work, and this labor being almost sufficient to handle the crop, which is the largest in the history of the district.

The price of the fruit has been gaining strength for the past several days, and yesterday's Kansas City quotation was an advance. It is now hoped that the peaches from the district which are rolling unsold will bring a much better price than those sold last week. Some few of the orchards received high prices during the last few days for extra fancy packages, and the prices to trucks were advanced by many durin gh tealts many during the last few days. Wednesday and Thursday there were veritable trains of trucks sent away unloaded, there being no peaches left for them.

The final figures on the movement from this immediate district will probably be 330 car loads or more.

"Bricks" That Turn Into Wine!



"Do not place in a glass or jug and put it in a cupboard for 21 days, for then it will turn into wine" . . . That's the sales girl's solemn warning to customers who buy "grape bricks" on New York's Fifth Avenue. Dry organiations have admitted that no legal action against the brick sellers seems possible.

Mellon Is Blamed For Money Panic

Con. Patman Declares Few Rich Men Are Hand-Picking Bargains

Wright Patman, congressman of the First Texas district, drew the largest Kiwanis attendance of the season Thursday night at Hotel Barlow. Patman, whose home is in Texarkana, had so impressed Hope Kiwanis at a joint meeting with the Texarkana civic club some time ago, that he was asked to speak at the regular meeting Thursday, which was held just before the Legion meeting at the Fair grounds.

Patman said present business conditions were caused from a great shortage of money in actual circulation. He told how he believed congress could do much to alter this situation especially if it would wrest control of the Treasury from Andrew Mellon, its present secretary. He suggested that congress stood willing and ready to do whatever could be done to aid in a recovery of general business, regardless of party politics. But he said what the farmers apparently needed, more than anything else in this day of 'Hoover Prosperity,' was better rabbit dogs. He indicated that the present management of the Federal reserve system, of which Andrew Mellon was the real head, had caused much o fthe deflation of currency, and had helped to slow up its circulation, while a handful of the nation's wealthiest men are now taking advantage of conditions to make fortunate purchases.

Patman was introduced by Leffel Gentry, Hope boy, who is now in the office of the Congressman at Texarkana. Other visitors of the club were: Mrs. Wright Patman, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. James of Texarkana, (Mr. James is commander of the Texarkana post of the Legion), Harvey Barr, a member of the local Boy Scout Troop, J. Brown, of Hope, Buell Holt, assistant manager of Montgomery Ward & Co., Dr. F. W. Pickell, of the Josephine Hospital, U. A. Gentry, of Hope, and J. M. Forgotson of Albuquerque. C. W. Weltman met with the club for the first time in a month, having been in Albuquerque for that time.

Columbus Woman Is Buried Friday

Mrs. John Hutchens Dies Following Extended Illness

Mrs. John Hutchens, died at the home of her father R. T. McCorkle near Columbus Thursday night following an illness of more than two years.

She is survived by her father and mother, two sisters and four brothers and other relatives including one brother-in-law, Frank Hutchens of Hope.

Funeral services were held at the Columbus Baptist church Friday followed by burial in the Columbus cemetery.

Magaine Program For Rotary Club

Article on Ameican View of Soviet Russia Is Read to Club

A program taken from the August number of the Rotarian comprised Friday's luncheon of Hope Rotary club at Hotel Barlow.

Jim Henry and E. F. McFaddin spoke briefly, and one of the program numbers was the reading of Walter Locke's article, "An American Looks at Russia," by Alex. H. Washburn.

President C. C. Spragins presided, and the club guest was D. F. Weaver, local architect.

Quarrel Over Cow Cause of Slaying

John Giles of Ashley Co. Stabbed to Death by Neighbor

HAMBURG—John Giles, aged 52, well-known farmer of Pine Hill neighborhood, in the western part of the county, was arrested Thursday and charged with having killed Wesley Livingston, neighbor farmer and veteran of the World war.

Giles accused Livingston of beating his cow. They quarreled, and Giles stabbed Livingston in the neck, severing the jugular vein, officers said.

Death was instantaneous. The men formerly were friends, and had had no previous difficulties, Livingston is survived by his wife and two children.

Giles was arrested and jailed by Sheriff John C. Riley. He waived preliminary hearing before Justice J. H. Lawson, and applied for habeas corpus before County Judge G. P. George. The hearing is set for 2 Friday afternoon.

Alabaman Killed as Negro Accused

Night Watchman Is Shot After Catching Black Stealing Junk

BIRMINGHAM—(AP)—Jack Hartzog, 40, night watchman for a junk company here, early Thursday was shot and killed by a negro he accused of stealing junk.

A short time later, police arrested Bertha Johnson, 19-year-old negro, for questioning.

Hartzog had taken a negro he surprised at the plant to a near by bakery to call police and was accompanied by Lewis Redo another watchman. At the bakery the negro grabbed Redo's pistol from its holster and shot Hartzog. Then covering Redo with the gun, he escaped.

Executive Cities Service Company Buys Newspaper

Henry L. Doherty Acquires Interest in Kansas City Journal Post

TARGET IN GAS WAR

Company Head Is Flayed by Kansas City Star in Gas Rate War

NEW YORK—(AP)—Henry L. Doherty, head of the billion dollar Cities Service company, who has been a target of the Kansas City Star in a gas rate war launched a counter attack Friday by buying an interest in the Kansas City Journal Post, the Star's afternoon rival.

Announcement of the purchase of this interest will be made in the Journal Post in the Friday afternoon issue.

Doherty's move follows closely on the heels of a $12,000,000 libel suit against the Star, alleging that the newspaper was unfair in it's stories about him and the Cities Service company.

He charges the Star is insincere in it's fight for lower rates.

The utilities executive will act as a contributing editor with a right to have published anything he thinks proper without editing and with the right to buy advertising space for the publication of his statements.

Patman Appeals For Vets' Widows

Congressman Reveals Bonus Program in Local Legion Address

A pension proposal for the widows and orphans of World war veterans was incorporated in the address of Congressman Wright Patman, of the First Texas district, Texarkana, before a crowd of about 1,000 service men and their families and friends at Fair park here Thursday night.

Congressman Patman reiterated his statement made in addresses in other parts of the country that Secretary Mellon of the Department of the Treasury should be impeached because of industrial holdings which conflict with his impartial service as a federal cabinet member.

The Texan also charged that under Secretary Mellon's administration the Department of the Treasury had retired three and a half billion dollars more in war indebtedness than was scheduled for retirement by congress. Mr. Patman said that the diversion of these funds was made at a time when the federal government should have been doing more for its former soldiers. He urged that the government reimburse veterans on the sample principle employed when it reimbursed the railroad owners for losses sustained during war-time government operation.

Congressman Patman was introduced by E. F. McFaddin, former commander of Leslie Huddleston post.

The rally was a guest party by the Hope post in behalf of legionnaires and their friends in all the Southwest Arkansas counties. The attendance was satisfactory, although heat cut it down considerably.

Twenty-four thousand pounds of iced watermelon was on hand at the Fair grounds, and was served up to the guests.

Texas Blamed For Oil Industry Chaos

Legislature and "Selfish Interests" Scored by Department Chief

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Acting Secretary Dixon of the Interior Thursday laid entire responsibility for continued demoralization of the oil industry upon Texas, its legislature and "selfish and irresponsible interests operating the east Texas pool."

In reply to many telegrams from governors, senators and other leaders for some federal action, Dixon said that the federal government's hands are tied, that other great producing states have curbed their oil output and only Texas' "failure to co-operate with the industry at large" now prevents the price of oil from again reaching a dollar a barrel.

As for Oklahoma, where Governor Murray under martial law has closed down all flush wells, Dixon said the federal government would not intervene. The department has an important interest in the Oklahoma oil situation through its supervision of Indian leases, but these are beyond the control of state authorities.

Six Counties A... to Concentrat... Sales This C...

Bulletins

MARION, Ark.—(AP)—Preliminary hearing of C. Rex King charged with murder in connection with the fatal wounding of Burton Hensley and Wodrow Wilson, N. C., youths in a swamp near here last October was postponed Friday until August 18, pending the arrival of defense witnesses.

ATLANTIC CITY—(AP)—Coast Guardsmen Friday captured 38 Cubans coming into the Absecon Inlett aboard a two masted schooner. Police think they may be implicated in a plot to overthrow the president of the Cuban government.

Junior Leaguers Return Home Safe

Last of Autos Conveying Local Team Returns From Ft. Smith

The last of the five cars carrying Hope's Junior League ball team returned home from Fort Smith about 4 o'clock Friday morning.

The players and their adult companions began leaving Fort Smith early Wednesday, and arrived home Wednesday night and Thursday morning after a 200-mile drive.

Hope lost to Conway Wednesday, and on Thursday Conway defeated Fort Smith to win the state championship.

Milk Plant Bomb Thrower Sentenced

Man Given Life Imprisonment for Part in Blast Last Month

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. —(AP)— Burge Gilpin, the second of five persons to go to trial on charges of murder in connection with a milk plant bombing here a month ago in which two persons were killed pleaded guilty and was sentenced to life imprisonment Friday.

R. A. Bridges, tried on the same charges was convicted Thursday and was also sentenced to life imprisonment.

Arkansas Banking Condition Better

Deposits at Close of June Nearly 5 Million More Than March 25

LITTLE ROCK—Deposits in 265 Arkansas banks and trust companies showed a total of $92,097,753.80 at the close of business June 30, compared with $87,317,589.05 on March 25 of this year, or an increase of $4,780,164.75, according to the combined statement based on financial reports from each of the institutions compiled Thursday by the state banking department.

The number of banks and trust companies doing business in Arkansas under supervision of the state banking department was the same, 265, on each date, there being 215 state banks, 49 trust companies and one private bank.

While total deposits were showing gratifying gains between the dates of the two bank calls, at a season usually characterized as dull, the Arkansas state banks showed a cash reserve of 28 per cent of total deposits on June 30, the same figure as on March 25. The banking law requires a cash reserve of 15 per cent be maintained.

Along with substantial gains in deposits and a stationary cash reserve percentage, the 265 institutions in their reports to Banking Commissioner Walter E. Taylor showed heavy increases in United States securities, this figure mounting to $3,360,603.66 on June 39 from $2,235,757.68 last March. Other bonds and securities showed a gain of approximately $600,000.

The statement as a whole reflects a healthy condition of banks in this state and a satisfactory stabilization following adverse conditions late in 1930 and early in 1931, officials said.

Bills payable by all state banks on June 30 totaled $3,275,169.48, compared with $4,009,421.10 in March.

Total resources on June 30 reached $114,721,225.03, compared with $114,806,945.39 in March.

Max Cox Is Give... Promotion, T... District Man...

Important Offer... nounced Here by H... diver, of Memphis

BONUS FOR QUA...

Local Classing to El... ate "Hog-Round" B... ing System

A district cotton office ... South Cotton association ... operative marketing ... will make Hope the concentra... sales point for cotton from ... six and possibly eight South... kansas counties, was announced ... Friday.

The announcement was made by Vandiver, assistant field manager the Mid-South, with offices in Memphis.

The district office manager will Max Cox, who has been promoted from last year's position as local receiving official. A cotton classer will be sent here before the office opens.

Cotton from 6 Counties

Mr. Vandiver said that cotton from be concentrated in Hope from Lafayette, Nevada, Howard, Pike, Sevierstead and a part of Clark ... and possibly Little River, ... counties also.

The district office will be open year round, and will offer an ... market for all grades of cotton, he said.

The purpose of the district office, Mr. Vandiver explained is to establish a place where the farmer can have over the classier's shoulder and see his cotton actually graded.

"What the district office aims to do," he continued, "is to eliminate the 'hog-round' buying system—a system that penaKzes the grower of good quality cotton, and blesses the grower of inferior cotton. The district office will offer an incentive to farmers to plant better seed and raise a superior quality of cotton which will command a higher price in the market.

Local Service

"The district office will be an interior classing and settlement point at which the farmer may get his money without having to wait on shipment and classing at Texarkana or Memphis.

"Payment will be by draft, the farmer being free to select his own bank at which to present his draft for payment."

Mr. Cox upon accepting the appointment as district office manager made this statement:

"I expect the cotton growers in this section to use Mid-South service this year to a larger degree than last year.

"There is no doubt but what the Mid-South will have a better basis sheet than can be found elsewhere.

"Although possibly the advance on the seasonal pool will not be as great as it was last year, our daily sale fixation option will be most attractive to the cotton growers of this section."

Mr. Vandiver was met here by C. T. Taylor, of Magnolia, editor of the Union Farmer and secretary of the Farmers Union association of this state.

County Poultry Group To Convene

Subjects of Interest to the Poultry Fanciers to Be Discussed

Members of the Hempstead county Poultry Association will convene in regular monthly session to announcement by George Dodds, president of the body.

This is to be one among the most important meetings of the year, said Mr. Dodds. Time for the annual poultry show, in connection with the Southwest Arkansas Fair is drawing near. Last season the poultry department made a very creditable showing and it is hoped that the department will be up to standard or better this year.

Several local speakers are expected to appear on the program Monday night and all members are especially urged to attend.

The State Poultry Show will be held this year at ElDorado instead of at Little Rock and many local poultry fanciers are ebxpected to have birds entered there.

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The Star's Platform

CITY

...the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the ... and social resources of Hope.

...city pavement in 1931, and improved sanitary conditions in ... and business back-yards.

...Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY

...highway program providing for the construction of a ... mile of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce ... road mileage.

...and economic support for every scientific agricultural ... which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's great...

...farmer organizations, believing that co-operative ef... as practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE

...progress on the state highway program.

...tax reform, and a more efficient government through ... system of expenditures.

...Arkansas from the cattle tick.

Falling For Humbugs

...thing does not always get the attention it deserves is ... average man's unquenchable desire to believe in some... that he knows to be impossible.

A short time ago—right in the middle of a spell of ex...ely hot weather, as it happened—people who live along ...ore of Lake Erie near Sandusky, O., got all excited about ...a serpent which was supposed to be cavorting about in the ...borhood.

First one man reported seeing it, then another. From ...accounts it was a veritable monster—long, scaly, hor...ous—doing everything that traditional sea serpents do ... breathe out fire and brimstone.

For about a week these tales kept bobbing up. People ...ked, of course—but they enjoyed them, just the same. ...matter how sensible we try to be, we always get a ...ack out of letting a part of our minds believe in some...ing we know isn't so.

Then, finally came the climax. Two men went out in a ...—and came back with a veritable serpent, an 18-foot ...hon, alive and authentic. They had captured it in the ...r, they said, stunning it with their oars before hauling it ...board.

Here was proof enough to satisfy anyone. Unfortunately ...e climax was followed by an anti-climax. The men turned ...t to be carnival men, the snake turned out to be a side-...ow snake and the whole business turned out to be a hoax. ...e two men and the snake vanished, and northern Ohio re...med its usual calm.

But it was fun while it lasted. It was fun, first of all, ...pretend that innocent Lake Erie really harbored a sea ser...t. Then it was fun to pretend that an 18-foot python could ...somehow find its way from India to make a home in a North ...merican lake. Everybody knew, all along, that it wasn't ...ally true—but that didn't matter.

Why is it we get such a kick out of persuading ourselves ...accept facts which we know to be false?

Therapeutics, Ethics and Economics

THE six Little Rock physicians charged with violating the ... Code of ethics of the Pulaski County Medical Society by ...writing articles for a special edition of the Arkansas Demo...rat have been acquitted by the society.

At the same time members of the staff of Trinity hospit... charged with "solicitation of contract practice," have been ...xonerated, but only after being censured for their stand on ...uch practice. The reprimand read:

"Therefore, it is the opinion of the Board of Censors that ...they (the hospital staff) did not violate Section 4, Chapter ...2 according to a strict interpretation, but that there was a ...violation of ethics in attempting to do that which they knew ...was not an accepted custom locally; and we therefore recom...mend that they be censured and that all members be warned ...that such practice wil not be tolerated by the society, since it ...would interfere with reasonable competition among the phy...sicians of the community."

That the medical society acted wisely in "acquitting" ...those physicians who wrote newspaper articles we are firmly ...convinced. So far as taking any part in th doctors' internal ...quarrels over ethics is concerned, we are centainly not in...clined to rush in. But that paragraph from the board's state...ment leaves us puzzled.

We have always looked upon a code of ethics in the ...medical, or any other profession, as a set of rules governing ...practices of the individual whose first thought was for the ...advancement of human welfare. Laboring under that im...pression, we have believed that if a doctor thought a patient ...was not financially able to pay certain charges for medical ...treatment, he could 'let the price fit the patient,' 'so to speak, ...yet not be guilty of unethical practices.

But if the board of censors' statement means what it ...plainly says, such practice by a doctor would "interfere with ...reasonable competition among the physicians."—What we ...suspect it means is simply this; If some doctor accept cer...tain kinds of "contract practice," those who can't get such ...contracts will have more difficulty in building up their prac...tices.

For the edification of the public the society should draw ...the line a little finer, that is, present and future patients ...should be told just where ethics ends and economics begin. ...Otherwise the people might suspect that the purpose of the ...society was to keep up the price rather than to lift a noble ...profession to an even higher plane.—*Arkansas Democrat.*

What We Need Right Now Is a Good "Two-Week Plan"!



News Of Other Days

From the Columns of The Star of Hope

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. James R. Henry and little son came home Thursday from a visit to Lewisville and Texarkana.

Agent C. G. Lunday, of the Iron Mountain depot, is spending a few days at his old home at Malta Bend, Mo.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Jones, Thursday, August 9th, 1906, a son.

Mrs. Emma Greene left Sunday for a visit to her daughter at Locksburg.

TEN YEARS AGO

Miss Rose Battle entertained a few of her friends with a croquet party, at her home on East Division street. The following enjoyed the delightful occasion: Weymouth Card (Stelle, Mo.) Eleanor Finley, Frances Lipscomb, Margaret Baysinger, Edith Lewis, Jack Stewart, Dorsey McRae, Howard Cannon, Huber Kennedy, Alston Foster, Rose and Burton Battle.

Judge J. J. Ritter, president of the Allen Oil company, which is drilling the Henry No. 1 test, three and one half miles east of Hope, arrived here last night from Riverside, Cal., and visited the test well today.

Ed. Dennison, the popular barber, and leader of the Hope Orchestra, which is one of the best in Arkansas, returned last night from a week's visit to Dallas.

BARBS

Pride goeth before A. Fall.

Germany's broke but there may be something in her pocket battleship.

Good whisky is said to be an excellent cure for snake bites, but who wants to be bothered with a snake around the house?

An "egg festival" was held at Chehalis, Wash., the other day. Other cities put chickens on parade and call it a pageant.

New York police have warned night clubs to "clean up or close up." If they had taken care of the first part of it themselves, that would have been news.

Spring Hill

Fred Collins is home on a furlough from the army, the first time in six years.

Mrs. John Momen is convalesing at the home of her mother, Mrs. Andrew Collins, after an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill and Mrs. Willie Tarpley spent Sunday with relatives at Battle Field.

Spring Hill and Grange Hall played an interesting ball game here Tuesday afternoon. Grange Hall won the game.

Mrs. Rosa Parker, known to her friends as Mrs. Moses, of California is expected home soon to visit her children, relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Huckabee and their two daughters of Hugo, Okla., spent the week end with Mrs. Arthur Collins.

Misses Dorothy and Bertha Hamilton spent Tuesday night with Swan Garner and Helen Turner and they had supper and a picnic with their friends on the lawn at the school house.

Mrs. Jim Martin and daughter and Swan Garner attended the singing near Patmos Sunday afternoon.

Lowrence Powell is back on our mail route, after his vacation, we welcome him back.

Sevier Grand Jurors Find 32 Indictments

DEQUEEN, Ark.—The Sevier county grand jury adjourned here Wednesday after returning 32 indictments.

Sharps and Flats

A Department In Which The Editor of The Star Plays His Own Piano

I had a Hempstead county man in the prime of life come to me one day this week and ask criticism for two poems he brought with him.

The poems wouldn't do—and I told him so.

He asked me to say frankly whether there was "any money in writing poetry," and I told him that probably not more than a dozen of the most popular poets out of all the world's two billion people make as much money writing poetry as I do running this newspaper.

I could have told him more. I could have told him that the reward of poetry is neither fame nor money, but the satisfaction in finding a fuller expression of the spirit of youth; just as the reward of virtue is not merely complying with copy-book maxims but the preservation of life, love and happines to a self-respecting old age.

You will ask scornfully: Why should a grown man be thinking about writing poetry?

But I ask you which is worse—a middle-aged man thinking about taking up poetry, or a jelly-bean not thinking about anything at all?

The most of this man's life is behind him. He was born in a day when schooling was not so easy, or cheap or adequate, as it is today. My sympathy goes out to him. An honest inquiry by an honest soul is worth par, whatever his age.

But he has the wrong slant on poetry and its relation to the rest of the world. It is a mistake commonly made—and because local poets generally head for the nearest newspaper office, it falls to the lot of us newspaper men to do some painful explaining.

I have a hard-boiled view of poetry. It is a "yes or no" art. It is either poetry or drivel—there's no half-way ground.

But the quality of prose writing, particularly in a newspaper office, is less finely strained. Newspapers are interesting not for the writing itself, but for the events and the ideas that the writing portrays. A bad piece of prose may cloud, but seldom ruins, what the newspaper is talking about.

But a bungled piece of poetry is a wash-out.

The time element tells the story. Newspaper men spend most of their time getting names and facts. Their writing is incidental.

But a poet spends all his time on the words.

Thus, I was 20 minutes writing this Sharps and Flats. But I talked 30 minutes getting my story from the poet.

Kentucky Summer Racing Soon to Get Under Way

DADE PARK, Ky.—(AP)—The Inaugural handicap for three-year-olds and upwards for a purse of $1,500 will feature the opening day of summer racing season at Dade Park, August 15.

Conducted by the Dade Park Jockey club, the meet will last 20 days and will include purses of $38,800 for the opening week.

The Inaugural handicap and the A. B. Dade Memorial handicap will pay $1,500, while the Dade Park handicap offers $2,000 and will be run Saturday, August 29.

The final feature of the season will be the Labor Day handicap, run September 7 at a mile and one-eighth for three-year-olds and upwards.

Washington Letter

BY ROBNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON — If Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt's progress toward the Democratic presidential nomination isn't slowed down the forces which oppose him will soon be in the sad position of the stop-Hoover and stop-Smith movements of 1928.

There is such a thing as a candidate getting out so far in front that you can't possibly catch him and trip him up. Smith and Hoover proved that. In a few months it is likely to appear that Roosevelt is another candidate of the same sort.

The party has other good material, but Roosevelt appears to be accumulating the support. Many Democrats would like to nominate Newton D. Baker and there is scattered backing for Owen D. Young and Al Smith has a large following. There will have to be a more concentrated opposition to Roosevelt than now appears to exist if the New York governor is going to be stopped. The trend of sentiment and strength has been largely in his direction for many months.

Guffey's Boost

Some observers have considered Roosevelt almost as good as nominated since Joe Guffey, Democratic boss in Pennsylvania, flatly declared for him. The Guffey declaration reminded one of the effect created when Boss Bill Vare of Pennsylvania declared for Hoover on the eve of the Kansas City convention three years ago, although Vare really only gave the band-wagon a final, unnecessary shove. Guffey, however, was able to promise 60 or more Roosevelt delegates and he has put a serious crimp in the supposed hopes of the Smith-Raskob faction to form an anti-Roosevelt faction among the very practical Democratic bosses in such states as Illinois, Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey and Massachusetts who control a very large flock of delegates. It seems likely that in the 1932 convention Guffey will be controlling a larger bloc of votes from one state than any other single individual.

The main weakness of any Smith-Raskob plot that may be brewing is that Democrats all through the south and west are grimly determined to thwart any Smith-Raskob plot. It begins to seem doubtful whether Smith and Raskob, assuming, as many do, that Smith is opposed to Roosevelt, can get enough delegates behind anyone to wreck the govenor, nor on the two-thirds rule.

The group opposed to Roosevelt is supposed to favor first Smith and then Young—and at this distance from the convention it does seem improbable that either of the two can be put across. If speculation is demanded, it can be reasonably suggested that if the Smith-Raskob group does manage to stop Roosevelt some man other than Smith or Young will have to be dragged in as a compromise candidate.

Support Out West

The south and west have shown leanings toward Roosevelt ever since Chairman Raskob called his national committee to consider platform issues. Lately it has appeared that the governor was going strong out in California—so strong, in fact, that according to some reports even the Republicans have been worried by the possibility that he might carry Hoover's own state in the election.

Nor can anyone suggest that Roosevelt is weak in the east insofar as popular support is concerned. His views are wet enough to appeal to great herds of voters and, regardless of what opposition he may expect from Tammany Hall, it must not be forgotten that he carried New York in the last election by the whopping majority of 700,000 votes.

Most political forecasters very sensibly leave large loopholes for themselves, but they are getting holder and holder in asserting the likelihood of Roosevelt's nomination. A few weeks ago they were reciting almost in chorus a stock story to the effect that Roosevelt couldn't be nominated without the support of Al Smith. Quite lately they've piped down about that.

Darwin Stores Co.

EVAN WRAY, Market Mgr. — CLYDE TOLAND, Manager
Home People Operating in Their Home Town.

Bargains Galore For Saturday

Oranges	California Red Ball Nice Size—2 Dozen	25c
Oleo	Keen Ko—2 Pounds	25c
Potatoes	10 Pounds	12c
SALAD Oil	Plato—Pint	23c
Cheese	Full Cream—2 Pounds	33c
Coffee	Canova, Telmo or Sunnybrook—Lb.	29c
Butter	Mrs. Ray's Fresh Country—Lb.	32c
Eggs	Fresh Country—Dozen	19c

Beans, 2 No. 2 cans..25c	Sea Foam, 3 pkg.....10c
Spinach, 2 cans.....25c	Peaches, evap. 2 lbs. 25c
Spaghetti, pkg..... 5c	Apples, evap. 2 lbs. 25c
Macaroni, pkg..... 5c	Jar Rings, 3 doz.....10c

MARKET SPECIALS

Hams	Picnic Style, Decker's Korn Kist—Lb.	18c
Beef	Choice Fed, Any Cut Fore Quarter—Pound	12½c
Beef Steak	STEAK OR ROAST Choice K. C. Round—Pound	20c
Bacon	Independent Bacon Belly, in Slab—Lb.	16c
Armour's Star Bacon	3 Pounds	$1.00
Beef Liver	Pound 12½c	
Spare Ribs	Pound 11c	

PIGGLY WIGGLY

REAL BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

Flour	Country Club, 24 lbs...55c 48 lb. Sack—Special	99c
Sugar	Our Price Saturday 10 Pounds	49c
Lemons	Fancy—Dozen	23c
Meal	24 Lbs.	45c
Malt	Puritan Brand	49c
Bottle Caps	Gross	19c
Matches	6 Boxes	15c
Mustard	Quart Jar	15c
Bananas	4 Lbs.	19c
Pork-Beans	Campbell's—3 cans	25c
Coffee	Cup of Cheer 8 Pounds	$1.

FRUIT JARS	FRUIT JARS	FRUIT JARS
Half Gallons, dozen	Quarts, dozen	Pints, dozen
$1.07	79c	68c

Jar Caps	Dozen 24c	Spaghetti	or Macaroni, Lrg. Pkg. 5c
Jar Rubbers	Dozen 5c	Rice	5 Lbs. 23c
Soap	Van Camps—10 Bars 29c	Milk	6 Small or 3 Tall Pet or Carnation 25c
C-Flakes	Country Club Extra Large Package 10c	Milk	Armour's Veribest 2 Tall Cans 15c

U. S. GOVERNMENT INSPECTED MEATS

Salt Meat	Best Grade Streak of Lean Pound	10c
Sausage	100% Pure Pork Pound	10c
Spare Ribs	Lots of Meat, Lb.	10½c
Neck Bones	4 Lbs.	27c
Cheese	Full Cream—Lb.	17½c
Veal Chops	Pound	12½c
Peanut Butter	Bulk—Lb.	15c
Bologna	Armour's Star—Lb.	19c
Bacon	Sliced Rindless—Lb.	25c
Chuck Roast	Best K. C. Beef—Lb.	12½c
Bhisket	Roast or Stew—Lb.	10c
Bacon	English Smoker, in piece, Lb.	19c

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Who drives the horses of the sun
Shall lord it but a day;
Better the lowly deed were done,
And kept the humble way.
The rust will find the sword of fame,
The dust will hide the crown;
Ay, none shall nail so high his name
Time will not tear it down.
The happiest heart that ever beat
Was in some quiet breast
That found the common daylight sweet,
And left to Heaven the rest.
—Selected.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Horton will spend the week end visiting with friends and relatives in Dallas, Texas.

A. C. Whitehurst and son, Arthur Jr., are spending a few days in Heber Springs, on business.

Miss Selma Lee Bartlett has as house guest, Miss Willie Bell Aubrey of Ashdown.

Mrs. Sam Alexander of Pine Bluff will arrive Friday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Green and Miss Bessie Green. Mrs. Alexander will be remembered by old friends as Miss Bennie Green.

Miss Geneva Higgason entertained a group of her young friends on Thursday evening at her home on South Hervey street. Games were enjoyed on the lawn, and ice cold watermelon was served.

Miss Princess Waddle has returned from a week's visit with friends in Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McIntosh returned Friday evening from a vacation trip of six weeks. They visited friends and relatives in Guthrie and Ponca City, Okla.; Kirksville, Mo.; Des Moines and Fort Madison, Iowa, and St. Paul, Minn. They returned by way of Fayetteville, where they visited their son, Ansel, who is a summer student at the university there.

Miss Jeannette Witt will attend a house party this week end with friends in Little Rock.

Miss Cornelia Whitehurst was hostess on Thursday evening to the members of Just a Mere Bridge club and a number of guests at her home on West Division street. Summer flowers brightened the rooms which were arranged for three tables. Favors went to Miss Mary Jones for the guests, and to Miss Nell Bennett for the club members. Following the game, the hostess assisted by Miss Bertha Turner McRae served delicious peach short cake.

Miss Ruby Skinner, who has been the guest of Miss Mildred Valentine for the past two weeks will leave Saturday for her home in Texarkana.

Miss Harriett Pritchard has returned from a ten day's visit in Malvern, Hot Springs and Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Williams who have spent the past month visiting in California, are leaving Los Angeles this week for a tour of the coast as far north as Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Earl White left Thursday for a visit with relatives and friends in Blevins.

Misses Mary Louise and Zilpha Keith have returned from a visit with friends in Gurdon and Oklahoma points.

Miss Hattie Anne Feild has returned from a visit with friends in Camden.

Misses Mary Louise and Zilpha Keith have as house guest, Miss Mildred Keith of Magnolia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Johnson are hosts on Friday evening to the members of the Emanon club at their home on East Second street.

Mrs. N. W. Denty entertained the members of the Thursday Bridge club and one extra table of guests on Thursday afternoon at her home on North Washington street. Mid summer flowers lent beauty and fragrance to the rooms and bridge was played from three tables, with Mrs. E. M. McWilliams winning the guest favor. After a series of games, the hostess served a most tempting sandwich and salad plate, with iced tea.

Mrs. Floyd Duke and daughters, Evelyn and Patsy, of Texarkana, the the guests of Mrs. Garrett Story and other relatives.

Mrs. W. F. Robins of Ozan, spent Friday in this city

All Stuck Up!



NEA Chicago Bureau

"Let's get right to the point of the whole affair," gurgled six-months-old Richard Gronik of Milwaukee as he posed with this giant safety pin, a surprise gift to his parents from friends. "I'm sorta stuck up, you might say," Richard added, "but it's pretty snappy, just the same!" The pin is four feet long and weighs seven pounds.

The Standings

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Club.	W.	L.	Pc.
Birmingham	73	37	.664
Memphis	62	48	.564
Chattanooga	58	52	.527
Atlanta	58	53	.523
Little Rock	57	54	.514
New Orleans	56	56	.500
Knoxville	39	70	.358
Nashville	40	73	.354

Thursday's Results
Little Rock 12, New Orleans 7.
Birmingham 6, Atlanta 3.
Chattanooga 14, Nashville 6.
Memphis-Knoxville, wet ground.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club.	W.	L.	Pc.
Philadelphia	74	29	.718
Washington	64	39	.621
New York	61	42	.592
Cleveland	50	54	.481
St. Louis	43	57	.430
Boston	41	63	.394
Chicago	39	62	.386
Detroit	39	67	.368

Thursday's Results
New York 5, Philadelphia 3.
Washington 15, Boston 1.
Chicago 7, St. Louis 6.
Cleveland 4, Detroit 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club.	W.	L.	Pc.
St. Louis	63	35	.643
New York	54	42	.563
Chicago	53	63	.552
Brooklyn	54	47	.535
Boston	46	49	.484
Pittsburgh	43	50	.462
Philadelphia	40	58	.408
Cincinnati	35	64	.354

Thursday's Results
Philadelphia 6, New York 4.
Brooklyn 7, Boston 3.
Cincinnati 3, Chicago 2.
Others not scheduled.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Samuels of De-Ann announce the arrival of a little son, born Thursday morning at the Josephine hospital.

Friends of Dr. J. R. Autrey of Columbus will regret to know that he is ill at his home in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchens and daughters, Virginia and Abbie and Miss Susan Chambless attended the funeral of Mrs. John Hutchens at Columbus Friday.

C. W. Weltman returned Thursday from Albuquerque, N. W., where he had gone three weeks ago for his wife's health. Mrs. Weltman is not expected to return until next December.

LAST TIMES
Friday
★
Richard Dix
Jackie Cooper
—In—
Donovan's Kid
A Great Movie for the Family
—Also—
LAUREL & HARDY
"OUR WIFE"

SAENGER
Cooled by Washed Air

Saturday Is Gift Night!
$5.00 IN GOLD
MANY OTHER GIFTS
—Also—
TOM TYLER
—In—
"Fire Brand Jordan"
A Good Western
SERIAL—COMEDY

Mom'n Pop — One Way to Settle It!



Yankees Nose Out A's in 9th Inning

Philadelphia Threatens With 2 Scores and 3 Men on Base

The New York Yankees won a thrilling ball game from the Athletics in the ninth inning Thursty. Lefty Gomez had held the A's well in hand until the last frame, when with the score 5 to 1 against them the Mackmen scored two tallies and put three more on the base-paths—enough to ties the game.

Yet Gomez was relieved by Johnson, who pitched his way out of the difficulty by striking out two batters and forcing a pop fly for the third out. The Yankees won 5 to 3. Rube Walberg, who was charged with the defeat, allowed New York 10 hits, against 7 safeties off Gomez and Johnson. Babe Ruth had another good day at bat, getting two hits in four times at bat.

Cleveland defeated Detroit 4 to 3, and Chicago beat the St. Louis Browns 7 to 6. The Washington Senators overwhelmed Boston 15 to 1, connecting for 20 hits.

In the National League, Cincinnati ended its long losing streak by beating Pittsburgh, 3 to 2. It was the first victory for the Reds in eight starts. "Sheriff" Fred Blake turned in his third consecutive win for the Phillies, beating the Giants 6 to 4, and making three of the Phils' hits. Brooklyn defeated the Boston Braves 7 to 3.

D. T. Murray, Father of Okla. Governor, Dies

BETHANY, Okla.—(AP)—Urian D. T. Murray, 91, father of Governor W. H. Murray, died at his home here Wednesday night of influenza after a week's illness.

Governor Murray left Oklahoma City for Bethany immediately upon learning of his father's death. Last January, when 91, the elder Murray, with trembling hand, stood with uncovered head in a chilling wind and administered the oath of office to the governor.

Miami Track Cards Offer $390,000 for '32 Season

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Forty-five days of racing, starting January 14 and closing March 5, with stakes and purses of $390,00 0is the 1932 program for Hialeah Park.

Opening of the meeting will mark the first start in Florida under the state's new law legalizing pari-mutuel betting.

Over the Nurseyr course, a two-year-old race, varying from two to three furlongs, is to be held each day after February 1.

In races under one mile, the minimum claiming price is to be $2,500. In races over a mile, $2,000 will be the minimum claiming price.

The Florida derby, $10,000 added, for three-yearlolds, will be run the final da yof the season, ever a mile and a quarter course.

Piles All Gone
Without Salves or Cutting
Itching, bleeding, protruding piles go quickly and don't come back, if you remove the cause. Bad blood circulation in the hemorhoidal veins causes piles by making the affected parts weak, flabby, almost dead. Salves and cutting fail because only an internal medicine can actually correct these conditions. Dr. J. S. Leonhardt discovered a real internal File remedy. After prescribing it for 1,000 patients with success in 969 cases, he named it HEM-ROID. Ward & Son say one bottle of HEM-ROID Tablets must end your Pile misery or money back. Adv.

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LIQUID OR TABLETS
Relieves a Headache or Neuralgia in 30 minutes, checks a Cold the first day, and checks Malaria in three days.
666 SALVE FOR BABY'S COLD

Renew Your Health By Purification
Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,—once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health.
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Lucky Kid



Arnold Brown of Salt Lake City went out to play his first game of golf. He hit one midiron shot of 210 yards, the only good shot he hit on the entire round. It rolled into the cup for a hole-in-one. In the above photo Arnold displays his hole-in-one smile.

A New York magistrate suggests that gangsters be hanged from lamp-posts. That would be letting them off lightly.

If there were anything in a name authors of anonymous books attacking reputations would probably use it.

Conway Captures Junior Ball Title

Victors Over Hope Beat Fort Smith for State Championship

FORT SMITH.—The Conway Junior League ball team, which elminated Hope Wednesday, went on to defeat Fort Smith 11 to 6 Thursday and captured the state championship of the American Legion junior teams.

The victory gives Conway the right to meet state champion teams from Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas at Little Rock next week for the western district championship of the nation. This winner will enter the division semi-finals at Colorado Springs, followed by the little World Series for the national championship at Houston, Texas, the last of the month.

State Director Bill Mitchell announced the following selection for all-star honors among Arkansas junior leaguers:

The team selected for all-star honors follows: Pitcher, Smith, Conway; catcher, J. DeJarnett, Conway; first base, Couch, Harrisburg; second base, Nowell, Conway; shortstop, Hill, Fort Smith; third base, Burge, Fort Smith; left field, B. Martin, Conway; center field, Harper, Hope; right field, F. Riggs, Fort Smith.

Freckles, says a doctor, protect the skin from the sun's rays. And also the lotion manufacturer from bankruptcy.

County School Heads Gathering at Conway

CONWAY—(AP)—County superintendents of schools were arriving here Thursday night for the anual state conference Friday and Saturday. The county superintendents will be joined Saturday by city superintendents in a discussion of means for a solution of school financial burdens.

The legislative committee of the Arkansas Education Association is to submit a report to the superintendents after which they are expected to enter into discussion of school needs.

O. W. Bass, Fayetteville, is chairman of the county superintendents group, and Fred Keller, Jonesboro, heads the city superintendents.

A cubic inch of air, a scientist declares, may contain a billion microbes. It is statistics such as these that take your breath away.

Heavy Peanut Crop Expected at Gu...

GURDON, Ark.—The farmers in this vicinity planted about 250 acres in peanuts and Rev. A. O. Wall, who for this project, reports that conditions have been ideal and that indications are good for a large crop of peanuts and peanut hay. The farmers have the promise of a buyer ready when the harvest begins.

Reduced Rates

SCHEDULE OF CHARGES FOR 1931 SEASON

Effective August 1

Receiving cotton from Railroads or Wagons, tagging (weighing and sampling on arrival if desired) including 30 days storage.....Per Bale .50

EXCEPT

Any cotton shipped out within ten days from date of receipt only 25 cents per bale will be charged.
Storage each additional 30 days or fractional part thereof Per Bale .25

EXCEPT

Cotton remaining in storage longer than 4 full months (30 days constitute a month) the rate therafter wil per month or factional part thereof...Per bale .15
ALL COTTON IN STORAGE AUGUST 1ST, 1931, WILL TAKE A RATE OF 15 CENTS PER BALE PER MONTH (30 DAYS CONSTITUTE A MONTH) OR FRACITIONAL PART TRERE-OF AFTER THAT DATE.
Delivering uncompressed cotton Per Bale .75
Compression Per Cwt. .18
Hidensity compression on uncompressed cotton NO EXTRA CHARGE
Note:—Hope only equipped with hidensity attachment.
Re-sampling cotton Fer Bale .10
Re-weighing cotton Per Bale. 15
Weighing Transit Cotton when unloaded from cars Per Bale .10
Re-lining cotton Per Bale .10
Extra Bands Each .05
Applying special tags, markers or branding..... Per Bale .02
Applying patches furnished by shipping cut extra for use Per Bale .05
Bailing loose cotton, including bagging and ties Per Bale 3.50
Picking damaged cotton.....Per bale 50c to 1.00
Account Arkansas Cotton Trade Assn.....Per Bale .02
Patches will be furnished on request at prevailvailing prices.

COMPRESSED COTTON

Item No. 1—Receiving cotton from Railroads or Wagons, tagging (weighing and sampling on arrival if desired) including 30 days storage..... Per Bale .50
Item No. 2—Storage each additional 30 days or fractional part thereof.....Per Bale .25

EXCEPT

Cotton remaining in storage longer than 4 full months (30 days constitute a month) the rate thereafter will be per month or fractional part thereof Per Bale .15
Item No. 3—Loading out cotton received compressed Per Bale .15
Compressed cotton drayed or shipped in from other presses for the purpose of consolidation into carload lots, if for immediate shipment, will be received and loaded.....Per Bale .25

RATES ON COTTON LINTERS

Receiving, tagging (weighing on arrival if desired) including 30 days storage.....Per Bale .30
Storage each additional 30 days or fractional part thereof Per Bale .15
Delivering uncompressed.....Per Bale .25
Performing services other than those referred to above will be charged for according to the current rates for handling cotton.

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Even if you had money to burn, there would be no reason under the sun why you shouldn't buy your groceries from us.

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With millions to spend you would still want the best things to eat. And although you might find prettier doodads somewhere else, you'd never find better food for eating purposes

Cigarettes — The Popular Brands — Carton $1.79 — 2 Pkgs 37c
Palmolive Soap — Keeps that School Girl Complexion — 3 Cakes 19c
NBC Graham Crackers — Plain or Honey — Lb. Box 15c
A.&P. Peanut Butter 2 8-oz. Bottles 25c
Encore Olive Oil 2 3-oz. Jars 25c
Fig Bars 2 Lbs 25c | Shredded Wheat Package 10c
Pillsbury's Verigood FLOUR Every Sack Guaranteed 77c

Tuna Fish, large can	17c	Blue Ribbon Malt, can	50c
Sardines, in oil, 6 cans	25c	Red Beans, 4 medium cans	25c
Pineapple, No 2 can	19c	Sweet Milk, quart	9c
Tomatoes, 2 No 2 cans	15c	Pinto Beans, 10 lbs.	39c
Eagle Brand Milk, can	19c	Spark Plug Tobacco, lb.	45c
Plain Olives, quart	29c	Certo, bottle	29c
Iona Corn or Peas, No. 2 can	10c	Table Salt, 3 packages	10c
Pie Blackberries, No. 2 can	12c	Pillsbury's Meal, 5 lbs.	14c

White House Milk 3 Tall or 6 Small cans 20c
Quaker Maid Beans In Tomato Sauce 3 Cans 20c
GOLDEN YELLOW BANANAS Lb. 4c
FIRM CRISP LETTUCE 2 Heads 15c

A. & P. COFFEES Try It Iced
8 O'Clock, lb. 21c
Red Circle, lb. 25c
Bokar, lb. 29c
A Coffe to Suit Your Taste

RAJAH Salad Dressing
Quart Jar 45c
Pint Jar 25c
½ Pt. Jar, 2 for 25c
Watch Our Windows for Added Specials

A. & P. TEAS
Nectar— ½ Lb. Package 29c, ¼ Lb. Package 15c, Small package 8c
Grandmother's— ¼ Lb. Package 21c

BEEF ROUND, LOIN or T-BONE STEAK Lb. 21c
ARMOUR'S CURED HAM 4 to 6 Lb. Average End Cuts Pound 13c

Sliced Breakfast BACON Its Rindless Lb. 20c
Center Sliced CURED HAM Lb. 32c
CHUCK ROAST Pound 13c
DRY SALT BACON Lb. 11c
Beef Boneless Shoulder CLOD ROAST Lb. 14c
RICH CREAMY CHEESE Lb. 19c
PURE PORK SAUSAGE 2 Lbs. 25c
SEVEN STEAK Lb. 15c
GROUND LOAF MEAT 2 Lbs. 25c

Heart of Liane

by MABEL McELLIOTT

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HERE TODAY

[illegible] is [illegible] to forget VAN ROBARD, movie player, [illegible] is already [illegible] LAURIE LAND, possessive [illegible] actress [illegible] Queen temperament [illegible] Liane's [illegible] that the [illegible] MRS. CLEMMONS, [illegible] when [illegible] in the fall Liane [illegible] Christmas's social [illegible] CLIVE CLEESPAUGH, [illegible] only son, [illegible] Liane. Clive can not [illegible] fortune unless [illegible] he is 30. Liane [illegible] the marriage is [illegible] of five days.

[illegible] moods are [illegible] for Liane to break [illegible] Liane and Clive. [illegible] LORD and Van [illegible] AMBERTON, come to Cleespaughs and Texas, [illegible] to marry Clive, begins trouble for Liane. Texans [illegible] with a gang of blackmailers and a friendly police lieutenant. LIANE McDERMID, interlocutor, Liane is kidnaped to [illegible] Ranch, but is rescued by Van and Clive. [illegible] takes place on [illegible] days, and the couple go [illegible] a honeymoon. News [illegible] that Muriel Ladd has eloped [illegible] CHUCK DESMOND, newspaperman. Clive is always [illegible] knowledge that Robard [illegible] Liane loves drives the [illegible] misunderstandings. After [illegible] weeks they return north. [illegible] devotes himself to business [illegible] tries not to be bored by [illegible]. On a shopping trip [illegible] encounters Robard. She does [illegible] tell Clive.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXXIX

VAN ROBARD stamped about the apartment, frowning. His [illegible] came to the door with a [illegible] tray.

"Set it down, Ito, and don't [illegible] there grinning! I have a [illegible] of a headache. Shake me [illegible] some, like a good boy."

Robard reached for the pad on [illegible] table by the telephone, hitched [illegible] plum-colored dressing [illegible] closer about his waist. [illegible] called? Ah, that fool of [illegible] he had met last week. [illegible] him to call back. Fat [illegible]. He sat, drumming on [illegible] table. A cigaret made him [illegible] better. He inhaled grate[illegible]

Why, Liane hadn't called. That [illegible] she'd written had been calculated to bring her. It had been [illegible] not a dumb thing to do but [illegible] taken the chance.

"Ito, I'll [illegible] and I want to see you [illegible] I go. Won't you just tele[illegible] me?"

Yes, he had trusted to her tender heart. Evidently he'd been [illegible]. You never knew women [illegible] Then you thought you'd got [illegible] all figured out.

He threw his cigaret into the fireplace the bell tingled. [illegible] reached for it. Even that movement jarred his head and he frowned darkly. His "hello" was [illegible] less than surly, but the tone changed instantly.

"Yes, it's I. A wretched cold." He coughed. "Doctor's forbidden me to go out and I wondered if you wouldn't stop in about four. I'm having some people for tea." There was a pause during which he coughed again.

"I know I've a nerve to ask you, but it'll be my only chance to say goodby. I've been ordered to stay indoors till Saturday. See you then? Ah, fine. Voir."

There was a smile of triumph on his face as he put down the telephone. He shaved and presently could be heard singing in his bath. The oriental cleared away the debris of the breakfast things and swept up the littered grate, bringing fresh logs for the fire.

Van sang out from the bathroom, "Ito! I want you to get freesia. Heaps of it. And yellow roses. Two dozen. Buy thousands of little cakes while you're about it and better get some grenadine."

He would give the scene the air of a party. His histrionic sense rejoiced in the scheme.

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THE stage was set when, a few minutes after four, the door bell rang softly. Van disposed himself in a big chair, trusting he wore an invalid's pallor. He could hear Ito's sibilant greeting to the visitor and in an instant she appeared between the curtains.

He sprang up, forgetting his role, to greet her.

Liane looked pale and flower-like in a black suit with a little black hat pulled down over her bright hair. She wore a silver fox slung across her shoulder.

"Don't get up," she insisted. He said, coughing a little, "You were an angel to come."

She glanced around. "Am I the first?"

"You are and that's my good luck. I hadn't time to ask you all the questions I wanted to the other day."

"I thought you'd sailed by this time."

He looked away. "The date was put over. I managed that."

Instantly she was all concern. "What does the doctor think?"

He did not dare to look at her, lest he smile at this. "Oh, I'll be all right in a day or two. Only, you know, these spring colds are treacherous things."

"I know."

He made her sit in the chair behind the urn. He took her fur, her gloves.

"It seems wonderful to have you here. So natural."

She flushed. She turned aside in panic. Was she wrong to have come? Where were the others of whom he had spoken? She looked at the dozen cups, the heaps of cakes, and was reassured.

Robard came and sat beside her, looking deep into her eyes. "D'you know I've never stopped loving you?"

She sprang up, affronted. "You mustn't begin that all over again."

"Why not?" His tone had the old caressing note in it.

"I don't like it." She put a quiet dignity into the words. She tried with all her heart to mean them.

He began again softly, "You don't love Clive. I can see that. You belong to me, really, and always will."

"You mustn't—I forbid you to say these things to me." She faced him, eyes blazing.

He laughed a little to see her so. "All right, I won't say it. But see here!" In a lightning dash he had her in his arms, his mouth deep on hers. "There!" He let her go. "Now can you say you don't love me?"

She dropped, shaken, into a chair. She moaned, "I shouldn't have come. You lied to me!"

"Of course, I did. I never should have seen you alone otherwise."

She put her shaking hand to her lips. They felt bruised. "You think I'm cheap. Easy! You have a line, they say. You think it will work with me, too!"

He set his jaw. "That's not so, and you know it. I wanted you for my wife but you wouldn't wait for me."

"Wouldn't wait!" It was her turn to laugh now. "That is funny."

"It isn't too late even now," he cried, pressing his advantage. "Come away with me next week and Clive will be glad enough to give you a divorce. Unless," he was watching her face shrewdly, "unless it's an annulment you want."

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THE telltale color in her face made him realize he had guessed her secret. "I hate you," she moaned. "Give me my things. I'm going."

He barred the door. "Not like this. You can't."

He was on his knees beside her. He put his big handkerchief into her hands. "Don't cry, little love," he wheedled. "I'm sorry. I am a million kinds of a fool. But I love you so!"

Weakly she wept, her head on this man's shoulder. The fire blazed up and the room darkened. She stood up, struggling for composure.

"It's too late for you to talk like that to me or for me to listen," she told him. She sought her vanity box and repaired the ravages left by tears.

"I shan't see you again, then?" the man asked.

She shook her head.

"I'm sailing on the Conte Rosso Tuesday. If you change your mind come to me."

"My mind's made up. This is goodby."

He put his hand out to touch hers but again her nearness and sweetness were too much for him. He kissed her once and once again.

She stumbled and would have fallen had he not caught her. Ito's voice was heard in the hall. Neither of them had noticed the sound of the bell. Liane drew on her gloves and with the astonishing quickness of her sex was quite composed when the servant entered. She gasped at the name he gave and turned. Clive was saying, "I've come for my wife."

"I want to explain," Liane began haltingly.

The door was shut behind them. Van, debonair and at ease, waved his hand at the tea table and said nonchalantly, "Stop a bit. The others will be along presently."

This Clive chose to ignore. He said briefly and coldly to his wife, "D'you mind if I hurry you a little? We're dining with the Williams' tonight, you remember."

If he noticed her flushed cheeks and embarrassment he gave no sign. Later when they were in the car riding homeward she said again, "I must explain . . ."

He interrupted. "You don't need to. I found his note on the floor when I came in. Thought I'd pick you up. That's all." His tone forbade further confidences.

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LIANE'S brain was whirling. What sort of woman was she anyway? She had gone to Van's apartment openly. She must have known what was about to happen. She had promised loyalty to this man at her side, the man whose name she bore.

Painfully she cried, "But I must! I am ashamed!"

Clive turned to glance at her. His eyes gleamed in the shifting shadow of the moving motor like blue ice. "He was making love to you. That was it?" he asked in a harsh voice.

She began softly to sob.

"Don't do that! I can't bear it." He put a hand on her arm. "You're just a child. All this was a mistake. You're not able to cope with the harsh realities of life."

She dashed the tears from her eyes. This was so far from what she had expected that surprise held her for a moment.

"I'm not so young," she protested. "I—oh, I hate to say this, to hurt you, but I can't stop caring for him." Her eyes implored him to understand.

He frowned. He spoke almost as if to himself. "I've tried to protect you from this. Perhaps I've been too slow, too simple. Perhaps I should have warned you earlier. But you must be protected from Van. It—oh, it's impossible! Even if you were free."

The last stung her. "Why?"

"Don't ask me. I don't want to go into it now. Perhaps later."

In despair the girl cried, "What is all this mystery about Van Robard? My mother hints blackly of something and will not tell me. And now you. I want to know. I—I love him!" she finished defiantly.

"You are my wife," Clive reminded her in a warning tone.

She threw caution to the winds. "Oh, we're living a farce," she cried. "You're nothing to me nor I to you." He winced but she rushed on unheeding. "There's nothing between us but a word that can be broken."

"I'm holding you to that word," he informed her. "I asked only the loyalty you might give to a friend. That and the pride you might feel in my name. You can't say at this stage of the game, 'I love him,' and let it go at that. It's not good enough for me. I'm here to save you from yourself. Van has loved before. Don't forget that! Early and often. And not once has he put a ring on a woman's finger."

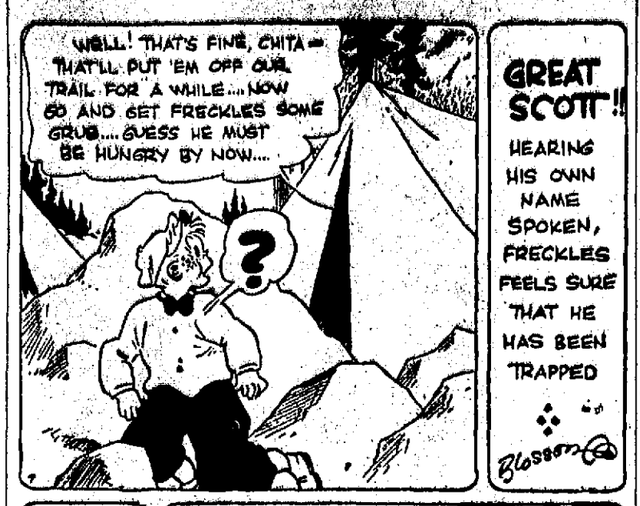
She laughed. "He's never really loved before."

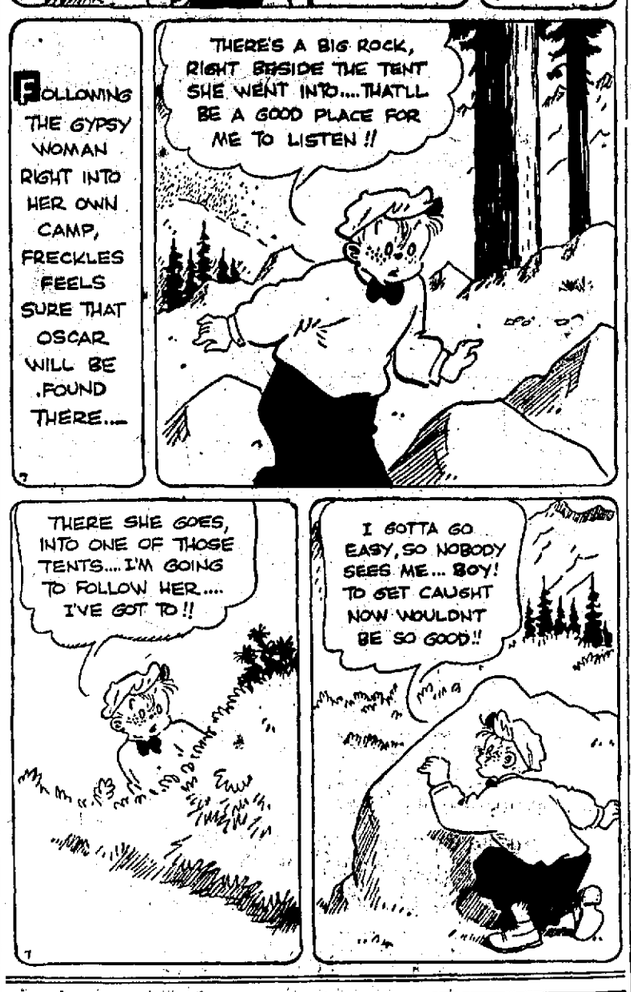
Clive sighed. It was so hopeless to argue with a child.

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Freckles and His Friends — By Blosser

What's This?





Jots Around Shover

Plenty of rain is causing some of the farmers to do more plowing.

Late gardening and potato planting is now being done.

The Bakers, who have been visiting at the Virgil England home have returned to their home in Oklahoma, from an extended visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Lelman Ruggles and little son and daughter left by auto for a visit with Mrs. Ruggle's mother in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Bryan Ruggles and children of El Dorado are visiting friends and relatives here and canning fruit.

Harold Sanford and family visited over the week end with Mrs. Sanfords parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Camp of Hinton and at Hamp Huetts near Patmos.

Howard Douhitt of Hope was a caller in this vicinity Sunday morning.

Ivver Ward of Hope visited Saturday night with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Daroughty.

Owner of Tavern Dies in Ft. Smith Hospital

* FORT SMITH—(AP)—W. J. Lloyd, owner of a tavern at the foot of the Winding Stair mountain at Taluhina, died in a hospital here Thursday of a bullet wound said to have been self-inflicted.

Two Jockeys Injured When Horses Stumble

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—(AP)—Two jockeys were injured and another was shaken up at Thistletown track during the second race Wednesday as their horses threw them.

Mal Lewis suffered a cut and bruises, when his mount, Bilson, stumbled as the field near the last turn. Olympic, stumbling over the fallen horse, threw Harry Tinker, shaking him up, and Miss Paradise fell into the heap, throwing Eddie Gusk, who suffered a broken collar bone, cuts and bruises and possible internal injuries.

Enginere and Fireman Die in Arizona Wreck

YUMA, Ariz.—(AP)—The engineer and fireman were killed and 16 persons injured, eight seriously, when the Southern Pacifics passenger train Argonaut, No. 104, East bound Los Angeles to New Orleans, struck a rain-softened section of roadbed 20 miles east of here at 2:30 a. m. and was derailed.

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NOTICE—Dr. Ford Henry will open his office Saturday morning after a short vacation. 1tc.

South America No Place For Easy Fouled Boxers

BUENOS AIRES.—(AP)—South American boxing fans don't care for "Phil Scott" endings.

Norman Tamasulo, Argentine heavyweight, after returning here from the United States, tried a couple of them, and now he is suspended for six months.

In his first two fights here, after campaigning in smaller clubs around New York, both of which were with Guillermo Silva, Uruguayan negro, Tamasulo claimed a "foul."

Physical examinations after both bouts failed to reveal any evidence of a low blow. Following his second claim, Tamasulo was sent down. z

OUT OUR WAY — By Williams

